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CAN'T STAND REPUBLICANISM

NEGROES AT CHICKASHA DECIDE TO SUPPORT SOCIALISTS.

Chickasha, Okla., Oct. 14.—Resolutions charging the republican leaders of Oklahoma with delinquency in supporting the negro race and calling upon the negroes of the state to support the entire socialist ticket was adopted by an association of amalgamated negro organizations of the state, which was organized here today. The resolutions placed the association on record as favoring the proposed women suffrage amendment to the constitution and memorialized congress to reduce the representation in Oklahoma in proportion to the number of black citizens disfranchised by the grandfather amendment to the constitution, in case that amendment is not declared unconstitutional by the courts. A law was demanded relieving the disfranchised negro of the poll tax obligation.

J. A. Johnson of the Third congressional district was elected president of the new association and C. A. Buchanan of Guthrie, editor of The Safeguard, secretary. The association comprises the entire membership of the state constitutional league, of which W. H. Durney of Oklahoma City was president; the Oklahoma Protective league, of which J. T. Johnson was president, and which was recently organized at Weleetka, and the Protective leagues of the Fourth and Fifth congressional districts. Each local organization is to have representation in the state organization and each is to handle its own finances.

The meeting was called to order at 10 o'clock this morning. A. H. Hogan of Chickasha was elected temporary chairman and C. A. Buchanan of Guthrie, temporary secretary. A committee on resolutions was appointed and during the time that they were framing the resolutions many fiery speeches were made behind closed doors. Among the speakers was W. R. Fulbright of El Reno who strongly denounced the state republican organization.

The resolutions committee consisted of J. A. Roper of the Third congressional district, chairman; W. W. Hutton of the second congressional district, secretary; the Rev. J. A. Johnson of the Fifth congressional district, W. A. Morton of the First congressional district, and E. W. Giles of the Fourth congressional district. Each member of the committee signed the resolutions.

Adoption Unanimous.

When the resolutions were brought in and placed in the hands of Secretary Buchanan he demanded that they be submitted to the Rev. Cursch, a prominent local negro minister. "These resolutions have got to be fixed," he said. A wrangle followed, during which oratory flowed profusely. A split seemed imminent, but Buchanan was upheld and he took the resolutions to Cursch at his home returning later with the minister's approval. Their adoption was unanimous.

The resolutions pointed with pride to the progress of the negro from the day that the race was imported from Africa, down through the days of the Civil war when 50,000 of the 200,000 who became soldiers lost their lives, the remainder eventually gained their freedom and the right to vote. They declared that the republicans are to blame for conditions in Oklahoma and that the socialist party was the only party that has truly befriended the negro. The entire socialist platform was adopted and negroes were urged to support the socialist ticket.

Harris is Deserted.

"The negroes should keep their hands on their pocketbooks and let Jim Harris make his own fight on the grandfather clause," said W. R. Fulbright, in an open-air speech. "The republicans are to blame for the negro being disfranchised. The constitution was adopted by over 100,000 majority and Governor Haskell received only 20,000 majority. Hence there were 80,000 republicans voted for the constitution and when we got the constitution we got the Jim Crow

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law and the grandfather clause. When the grandfather clause was submitted republicans in Muskogee, McIntosh and Okfuskee counties supported it.

"The only party that has been our friend all along is the socialist party. Who are our friends, my countrymen? The socialists are our friends, and I am for them right or wrong."

Among the prominent negroes present, aside from the officers and members of the resolutions committee, were W. W. Mitchell of Okmulgee, E. A. Anderson of McIntosh county, S. L. James of Oklahoma City, E. T. Barbour of El Reno, W. E. Dune-gan of Oklahoma City, and H. Horn-beck of LeFlore county.

Notice.

The Foreign Missionary society will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Methodist church. The Mission study class will meet in connection with the society, as it is thought the lesson will be interesting and profitable to the members of the society who are not members of the class. The next lesson will be the last half of the 2nd chapter in the book that is being studied. Visitors will be welcome.

PROSPEROUS TIMES

PUTS CUPID BUSY

Cupid is busy uniting hearts in times of prosperity. Four marriage licenses were issued today, and Judge H. J. Brown "hitched one pair for life" before they left the court house.

They were Jim Roland and Miss Olive Christian of Konawa.

HARRISON FIRES OPENING GUN

Luther Harrison, manager of the state press bureau for the campaign committee, may be said to have fired the opening gun of the present campaign this afternoon. That is, for Pontotoc county. Mr. Harrison was passing through Ada and as he never lets slip an opportunity to put in some work for the democratic party, he accepted the invitation to address the voters of Ada on the issues of the campaign. That staunch democrat, J. W. Davis, called a fair sized crowd together and Mr. Harrison delivered some telling blows in behalf of the party.

He indulged in no abuse of other parties, but confined himself to the records made by the two parties while in power. He tore the mask from McNeal and showed him up as a true friend of the corporations on whose evidence largely the 2c rate was enjoined. He compared the record made by the republicans during their seventeen years of power with that of the democrats for the past three years and called special attention to the fact that the republicans had passed up their opportunity of enacting the many beneficial measures that are now the pride of the state.

Mr. Harrison made a most favorable impression on the people and it is to be hoped that he will come again before the campaign closes.

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WHIRLWIND CAMPAIGN

LUTHER HARRISON, MANAGER OF
STATE PRESS BUREAU, TALKS
OF WORK BEING DONE.

Luther Harrison, manager and editor of the state democratic press bureau, is in town today, en route to Wetumka. Besides getting up some very live matter that is making the republicans of the state squirm to beat the band, Mr. Harrison is making some effective stump speeches. When asked about the work being done by the state committee, he replied:

"We have started a whirlwind campaign for the finish. Cruce is on the stump all the time. Haskell is in the southwestern part of the state this week and will be in the western counties next week. Murray opened at the county fair at Poteau today and is already billed for a number of speeches and Owen is speaking in the eastern and southeastern counties. Col. Leslie Ross is campaigning in Pottawatomie county this week and from there will go to Canadian and McClain counties.

The state campaign is all on the stump. The county republicans in some counties are only coming in with a camping outfit and will stay out until the election.

"The organization is in splendid shape. The force at headquarters has been doubled recently. The only trouble anywhere is a little apathy in the cotton section where the people are busy. The fight now is to get the voters out on the day of the election."

Look for the DeSota program in another column. It's an extra good one tonight.

ONE VICTIM OF FRISCO WRECK DIES

Paris, Tex., Oct. 14.—No. 6 Frisco passenger train, which had to double back from the wreck near Talihina yesterday afternoon, did not reach here until 1 o'clock this morning.

There were a few of the injured passengers aboard. Mrs. Mary Harvey of Clinton, Ok., and Mrs. Hadley of Willow Springs, Mo., were taken to the infirmary on the arrival of the train. Both were able to sit up today, and were getting along nicely.

Mrs. J. M. Thurmond of Groesbeck, who stopped off here to take the Texas Midland, stated that she had to climb through a window of the chair car, which dropped down through the opening in the bridge, and waded through water in the bed of the creek.

The only death reported was that of the chef of the dining car, named Smith, whose home was in St. Louis. He was standing with an iron poker or fork used to turn meat on the griddle iron in his hand when the wreck occurred and it was driven in his body. He died on the train.

The northbound passenger No. 4, that leaves here at midnight, came back on the time of delayed No. 3, which is due at 5 a. m. It reached Paris at noon.

The express matter was all loaded in an extra car and was brought here and divided up. Trains Nos. 6 and 5 had to transfer again this afternoon and the former doubled back, reaching here several hours late. It will take a day or two yet to clear the wreck.

The Methodist Dinner.

The ladies of the Methodist church served dinner today at the Rinarad building on East Main street. Those ladies have the art of feeding hungry men to a finish and the big crowd that ate with them today went away in fine spirits. The dinner netted \$60.

NEW INSURANCE LAWS FAVORED

Guthrie, Ok., Oct. 14.—Recommendations of State Insurance Commissioner Lasater include two new laws, one for the creation of the Department of State Fire Marshal, the other for a tax upon policies issued by unauthorized companies.

In his annual report the Commissioner suggests that insurance rates can be materially reduced through the workings of a Fire Marshal with laws empowering him or his deputies to inspect buildings and condemn those found to be fire breeders unless proper improvements are made. The marshal should be empowered to investigate every fire, and the payment of losses would be conditioned upon his report. This, in itself, the commissioner thinks, would be an effective check upon questionable fires. The report says:

"Better building laws enacted and enforced by municipal bodies will reduce conflagration hazard, and Fire Marshal inspection will reduce the physical and moral hazard. With these two indeterminate elements of risk largely eliminated, the determination of just and equitable rates can proceed along approximately scientific lines, and the result will be favorable to both companies and the assured."

The best fire marshal laws are said to be those of Illinois, Ohio and North Carolina.

It is the commissioner's idea that the state should receive benefit of the 2 per cent tax on policies issued by unauthorized companies, and he favors a law requiring a person to render his insurance when he renders his taxes. This information tells the state what number of policies and their amounts are in operation from companies not recognized by the department for the purpose of doing business in the state. Holders of such policies would be required to pay to the state a tax of 2 per cent upon the amount of insurance he held with the company.

First Prohibition Speech.

R. C. Roland made the opening speech of the campaign for the prohibitionists this afternoon. He took up the bill initiated by the whiskey interests and analyzed it by sections, showing up the inconsistencies in the measure and giving strong reasons why it should be voted down at the November election. A good sized crowd gave him a patient hearing and close attention.

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WHAT McNEAL THOUGHT OF US.

Three years ago Joseph McNeal
campaigne the western part of Ok-
lahoma, making speeches in favor of
the rejection of the present consti-
tution. He was opposed to statehood
under that constitution. One of his
anti-statehood speeches was made
from the bandstand in Lawton in the
public square. He said in that speech
that he was opposed to joining Okla-
homa Territory with Indian Territory,
that Indian Territory was not ready
for statehood. These are the words
he used: "The Indian Territory is not
prepared for statehood, in fact its
principal inhabitants are outlaws and
Indians. It is a lawless, churchless,
schoolless, bridgeless, roadless, bar-
ren Indian nation. There are but two
roads in that Territory—one of which
leads to ignorance and the other to
crime."

If you doubt that he said this you
may ask these men who heard him:
George D. Key, Lawton; E. E. Jayne,
Wewoka; T. S. Cobb, Wewoka; W. H.
Hussey, Lawton; C. C. Hammons,
Lawton; S. M. Cunningham, Lawton;
John Vertrees, Lawton; Scott Ferris,
Lawton; J. Elmer Thomas, Lawton;
J. D. F. Jennings, Oklahoma City.

And there are hundreds of others
who heard him say this and will so
testify. Three years ago we were out-
laws and Indians. Now Joe McNeal
who said this wants us to make him
governor of Oklahoma.

Nay, verily.

Somehow the census figures do not
bear out the claim of the republicans
that democratic rule is a blight on
any people living under it. It is the
South that has advanced during the
past decade both in population and
industries, as well as from an agri-
cultural standpoint. It is the South-
ern cities that have shown the great-
est increase in population and wealth.
This, too, in the face of the fact that
this section has been governed by
the democratic party without a break
for the past thirty years.

Lee Cruce has been stumping the
northern part of the state and has
received an ovation wherever he went.
There is not as much gush and hog-
wash about Cruce as others we might
name but the more the people see of
him the better they like him. They re-
cognize in him an honest and sincer-
ity of purpose that means millions of
dollars to Oklahoma. Nothing has
ever been dug up against his char-
acter and the lies his enemies tried
to run on him soon fell to the ground
leaving Cruce untouched.

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The old Roman senator who for
years never let slip an opportunity
to shout to the populace "Carthage
must be destroyed," was at first made
light of, but finally when the idea
penetrated the minds of the general
public, there was something doing.
The same thing happens in the case
of newspapers and the leading citi-
zens of any town who are constant-
ly hammering on the subject of town
improvement.

Living is a trifle dry with Ada peo-
ple just now. Butter, chickens and
eggs are almost unknown here, al-
though fancy prices await the man
who has any of these products to sell.
In fact, this condition of affairs has
become almost chronic. For the life
of us we can't see why a man
couldn't make a scad of money out
of a poultry farm.

A socialist paper published in Ok-
lahoma City thinks the time has come
for the laboring classes to begin the
fight for a six hour day. The writer
of the squib thinks thirty-six hours
per week is all that any one should
labor. Perhaps it would be better to
abolish all labor and go on a grand
holiday.

The Chickasaw nation enjoys the
distinction of being the only section
in the United States that never per-
mitted the negroes to vote. The four-
teenth and fifteenth amendments nev-
er went wit hthat tribe of Indians.

Oklahoma is preparing to issue
\$250,000 for the purpose of getting a
better water supply. Those people
are never close fisted about spending
money for public improvements.

"Looks like McNeal for governor,"
says a republican exchange. Well, if
McNeal's chances are as hard look-
ing as he himself is, they must be
beauts.

It is said that 20,000 aeroplanes
are in use or in course of con-
struction in the United States.

Oklahoma City is First.

Washington, D. C.—The Bureau of
the Census Department of Commerce
and Labor of the United States, has
made public the following figures,
which show the highest percentages
of increases announced up to the last
day of September:

Cities—	1910	Inc.
1. Oklahoma City.....	64,205	539.7
2. Muskogee, O.	25,278	494.2
3. Birmingham, Ala.	132,685	245.4
4. Flint, Mich.	38,550	194.2
5. Fort Worth, Tex.	73,312	174.7
6. Schenectady, N.Y.	72,826	129.9
7. Dallas, Tex.	92,104	116.0
8. Waterloo, Ia.	26,693	112.2
9. East St. Louis	58,547	97.4
10. Passaic, N. J.	57,773	97.2
11. New Rochelle, N. Y.	28,867	96.1
12. Portsmouth, Va.	33,190	90.5

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DO THE REPUBLICANS WANT ELECTION PURITY?

IS THE NOTED JAKE HAMON JOE
MCNEAL'S IDEAL PURIST?

The republican machine politicians
of Oklahoma have been making a
fuss lately for honest elections.

This is the same bunch who stole
the election for congress from the
late lamented Bill Cross in Territor-
ial days of Oklahoma.

This is the same bunch who refused
in El Reno on October 10th, to enter
into an agreement with the democrat-
ic state candidates to enforce all the
election laws of Oklahoma, and who
presented a resolution to the demo-
crats, asking them to agree to vio-
late the principal election law now in
force in this state.

Some time ago, Governor Haskell
appointed Mr. J. L. Allen, of Mus-
kogee, as the republican member of
the state election board. Mr. Allen
is a man of high standing and integ-
rity in the state of Oklahoma.

The republican machine was not
satisfied with Mr. Allen's appoint-
ment, and under the law, which gives
the state central committee of the
dominant parties of the state the
right to name a member of the state
election board, they submitted the
names of two men to Governor Has-
kell to be appointed in Mr. Allen's
place. These two men were Frank
Greer, editor of the Guthrie State
Capital, who needs no introduction to
the honest people of Oklahoma, and
Jake L. Hamon, of Lawton. Greer
was ineligible for the reason that
he was printing the ballots for the
state election. Under the law, Gover-
nor Haskell was left no other alter-
native than to appoint Jake Hamon
as a member of the state election
board of Oklahoma, as this demand
was made by Joe McNeal's chairman.

Jake Hamon is the man whom Sen-
ator Gore charged with having of-
fered him a \$50,000 bribe.

In view of these facts, do the de-
mocrats, socialists and honest republi-
cans of Oklahoma believe that the
Cannon-Aldrich-McNeal Stand-Pat-
Republican Machine of Oklahoma is
sincere in wanting an honest elec-
tion?

If Joe McNeal were to be elected
governor, wouldn't he have two
members of the Election Board like
Jake Hamon?

In the last primary election, out of
2,300 voting precincts in Oklahoma,
there were specific charges of fraud
in only about fifteen of these vot-
ing boxes. The charges that the re-
publicans are making in this state
regarding fraud at the last primary
is a reflection on the members of
every election board of the state,
both republicans and democrats, and
when you take into consideration the
fact that ninety per cent of the elec-
tion boards of Oklahoma are farmers
it can readily be seen how absurd this
libelous statement is.

The democratic party of Oklaho-
ma is a law abiding party, and stands
for the strict enforcement of all the
election laws, including the grand-
father clause, and it knows that the
election board of this state will con-
duct a fair election, and have an
honest count.

If the republican politicians of Ok-
lahoma are in earnest about having a
fair and honest election, why did they
demand the dismissal of a man with
the high standing of Mr. Allen, and
force on the election board Jake L.
Hamon, who, Senator Gore and re-
publican congressman Creager swears
tried to corrupt them.

THE HIGH LICENSE AMENDMENT.

It occurs to us that the distillers
and brewers overreached themselves
in their effort to destroy the prohi-
bitory laws of the state. Had they
initiated a measure going no further
than effecting a straight repeal of
the prohibition amendment, they
would have had a much better chance
of winning than they have as matters
now stand. The attorneys who drew
up the bill we are to vote upon, evi-
dently thought the prohibitionists
were an easy mark and incapable of
discovering the numerous jokers in
the bill. However, they have had a
rude awakening. Since the exposure
came the whiskey organization has
made no attempt worth speaking of
to deny these things, but have de-
voted their entire time to prove that
prohibition has been a failure. Texas
is under a local option and high li-
cense law and it has worked so well
that it is doubtful of state-wide pro-
hibition will carry for years to come,
but the legislature has full power to
amend the law whenever circum-
stances and experience shows that a
change is needed. In our own case,
however, it is proposed to rivet a
measure on the people that no matter
how badly it works in practice can-
not be shaken off except by a hard
fought campaign and great effort.

The legislature is prohibited from
making any amendment whatever ex-
cept such as may be in conformity
with the provisions of the bill. As
these features cover every conceiv-
able point and are known to be about
as favorable to the liquor trade as
the most ardent saloon advocate
could wish, and as much against the
temperance element as one can im-
agine, it amounts to nothing more
than forbidding the legislature to
touch the traffic unless it is to make
the law more lenient. In Texas each
side is given an equal chance and
is treated alike, but if this substi-
tute for prohibition should be adopt-
ed here the whiskey men will have
altogether the best of it. In Texas an
election can be ordered in any sub-
division of the county or with the
county itself as a unit. An election
must stand for two years no matter
which way it goes. Here no one but
those living in incorporated towns
can vote at all. Provision is made for
taking a vote to make the town wet,
and an election can be held every
thirty days if they so desire, but all
that is said on the other side is that
if a place goes wet it stays wet for
five years, and nothing is said about
how another election is to be held
for voting the saloons out. Under the
laws of some states provision is made
for confining the saloons to some
certain district of the town, but in
this measure there is none. And then
the legislature is powerless to rem-
edy this. Another bad feature is that
it is permissible to transfer a li-
cense. As forfeiture of license is
about the worst penalty provided in
the bill it can be readily seen how
easy it would be to escape punish-
ment by transferring it to some dum-
my while the real culprit escapes.
These are only a few of the many
bad features of this measure which
is claimed by its advocates to be
preferable to prohibition, but these
items are enough to show that there
is no fairness in the measure and
that it would be most disastrous in
its effects if adopted. Aside from any
moral consideration we are opposed
to this bill.

Dr. Mahr, state commissioner of
health returned to Oklahoma City
yesterday.

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Big Oil Deal.

Bartlesville, Ok., Oct. 14.—The
property of four oil gas companies
operating in the Osage country was
transferred to the Prairie Oil and Gas
company today by H. T. Fancher,
consideration \$2,000,000. The lands
embraced are 28,000 acres on which
are wells producing 4,000 barrels of
oil per day. The property belonged
to the American Oil and Gas com-
pany, the Iroquois Oil and Gas com-
pany, the Seneca Oil and Gas com-
pany and the Western Oil and Gas
company.

This is the first important step in
the fight between the Prairie com-
pany and the Central Fuel Oil com-
pany, which recently purchased the
property of about thirty of the lead-
ing companies of the mid-continent
field.

The Central company today paid the
second installment of \$1,500,000 on
the purchase price of \$6,000,000.

John Finney of Durant who repre-
sents the William Bandis Hay and
Grain Co., stopped over and visited
his relatives, R. C. Roland and fam-
ily yesterday and left for Purcell this
morning.

WASHING WITHOUT WATER

Is Like Trying to Get Rid of Dandruff
Without Herpicide.

Did you ever see any one trying to
wash themselves without soap or
water?

If you did what would you say of
him?

It is every bit as foolish to try to get
rid of Dandruff and to prevent Bald-
ness by feeding the germs which cause
it, with Cantharides, Vaseline, Glycer-
ine and similar substances which form
the principal ingredients of most so-
called Hair Growers.

Newbro's Herpicide is successful be-
cause it attacks and kills the parasitic
germ which feeds on the hair roots.

It is the original and only genuine
scalp-germicide manufactured.
Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in
stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co.,
Detroit, Mich.

ONE DOLLAR BOTTLES GUARANTEED
RAMSEY DRUG CO.

A Man May Be a Good Mechanic

But if he is provided with in-
ferior tools and poor working
facilities he cannot produce
good results. We have an up to
date shop, well equipped and
we make it a point to employ
only the best of workmen. Each
man is encouraged in the right
way to take pride in his work
and the result is we deliver
clothes to you which you will
be proud to wear. We have the
famous French Dry Cleaning
method for cleaning and reno-
vating garments which is rec-
ommended by all good clothes
wearers to be the only success-
ful method for cleaning gar-
ments, and we have machines
which are made especially for
that purpose.

French Dry Cleaning does not
injure or fade the most delicate
fabrics or get the canvass or
padding in your coat out of
shape, or wear your clothes out
as the scrubbing process does,
but is a thorough and sanitary
process which leaves your
clothes in as good shape as
when new. Yours for biz.

Ada Dry Cleaning Works

Tailors and Hatters.
Miller Bros., Props. West of
Court House.

THE Ada National Bank

From the day of its opening,
July 23, 1900, down to the pres-
ent time the business of this
Bank has gone forward with-
out interruption.

Has accommodated more farm-
ers than any Bank in the
county

Has assisted more local en-
terprises than any other Bank
in the City.

We want your business if we
merit it.

Ada National Bank

NASH'S TAILOR SHOP

Cleaning and
Pressing

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Smith Sells Furniture.

Abb Ogee returned from Maud today.

Lowery Lea made a trip to Sasakwa today.

B. M. Carr is in Whitewright, Tex., for a few days.

Judge U. G. Winn made a trip to Stonewall today.

Judge Tom D. McKeown made a trip to Francis today.

R. G. Ingersoll made a business trip to Sasakwa today.

Fish served at the English Kitchen Tuesdays and Fridays. 162-3td

Mrs. J. B. Wall returned from Oklahoma City this morning.

Judge A. M. Croxton in company with Prof. Chas. W. Briles went to Roff this morning.

Atty. Geo. Burris returned to Stonewall today after having been here on business this week.

Just received fresh shipment of fine box candies. Come in and let us show you. Ramsey Drug Co. 149-ftd

J. C. Pitts of Denison who has been here prospecting this week returned home this morning to return shortly.

Atty. J. D. Crawford returned to Stonewall this morning after having been here on business the past two days.

Joe E. Baker went to Holdenville today to accompany his mother, Mrs. M. F. Baker of Wingo, Ky., who is visiting home.

M. R. Smith of the Deming Investment Co., who has been here on business this week returned to Muskogee this morning.

Did you know that herpicide is one of the best hair dressings, also kills the dandruff germ. 50c and \$1.00 bottles. Ramsey's. 149-ftd

Richard Flood owner of the Dan Hays addition made a business trip to Oklahoma City this afternoon and will return Tuesday.

If you enjoy fishing visit Sprague Bros. Jewelry store and fish for jewelry. You will likely catch something more valuable than fish. 162-3t

Jno. J. Thomas and wife of Laguna, California, arrived today for a visit to Mr. Thomas' nephew, Will H. Hart of the cement company.

Rev. O. E. Fowler went to Stonewall this morning where he will be in the prohibition campaign there this afternoon and will preach there tomorrow.

G. M. Smith one of the office force of the Katy Ry. Co. was up from Lehigh yesterday. He is well impressed with Ada and may come here in the near future.

A. Campbell who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. R. Brandon, returned to his home in Texas today. He has passed the 86th mile post and is still young (?)

TONIGHT AT THE

DeSota Theater

MOTION PICTURES.

THE STARS AND STRIPES

This is one of the most realistic and startling pictures ever produced. In this picture will be seen the famous sea fight between the "Bon Homme Richard" and the "Serapis" also the horror and the thrilling glory of the old time sea fight on board a sailing vessel.

OFFICER MULDOON'S DOUBLE—A comedy.

GRAND FATHER'S GIFT—A drama.

Illustrated Song—I Wonder—Sung by Miss Knox.

Admission: Adults 10c, Children 5c

Miss Eligh Fisher is visiting in Davis.

C. C. Dudley made a trip to Ardmore.

Mrs. J. W. Barron is visiting in Roff.

Jim Rodgers went to Konawa yesterday.

H. C. Strawn is attending the Dallas fair.

Dr. Truax was in town yesterday afternoon.

Oscar Lewis boarded the Katy for Oklahoma City.

W. E. Smith of Roff was in the city yesterday.

Miss Nora Evans returned to Shawnee yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Stone are in Oklahoma City.

W. Hart returned to the city yesterday afternoon.

J. E. Smith made a trip to Roff yesterday afternoon.

E. B. Austin and wife are spending a few days in Denison.

Mrs. W. C. Bridwell is spending the winter in El Campo, Texas.

T. J. Coffee of Woodville, was looking around in Ada yesterday.

Mrs. M. C. Whitmore returned from Francis yesterday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Taylor returned from Francis yesterday afternoon.

C. B. Bitts of Oklahoma City was down on business yesterday.

The county commissioners will hold a special session this evening.

W. H. Burton of Tulsa was transacting business here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Crockett Daggs went to Konawa yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Fulton of Sherman, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. Bills.

T. M. Hughey has returned from a trip through northern Oklahoma.

"Just Out" select Lily of the Valley. A new perfume at Ramsey's. 163tf

John Carney, the prohibition lecturer, left yesterday afternoon for Tulsa.

Lewis Brown an E. C. N. student is visiting home folks at Sasakwa today.

Miss Deaton one of the South school teachers is attending the Dallas fair today.

I. D. Nichols of Roff, was here on his way home from Oklahoma City yesterday.

Rev. Marshall Dupree made a trip to Hickory yesterday and returned to the city this morning.

Lester Wheeler and his sister, Miss Edna Wheeler, were over from Konawa shopping yesterday.

Chas. Kerr of the Steedman neighborhood, is in town today looking after some probate matters.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mossman and Miss Leota were passengers to Oklahoma City yesterday afternoon.

Carlton Weaver has returned from Tulsa and other points north where he has been on business this week.

Given away, a nest egg with each 25c package Seneca Poultry Powder. It will make your hens lay. Ramsey Drug Co. 163-ft

Will Flowers and family of Sherman, who have been visiting his brothers near Stonewall, were here on their return home this morning.

D. S. Floyd, Sr., is lying at the point of death at the home of his son, Ben Floyd. He is seventy-one years old and being very feeble there is little chance for his recovery.

Trustee J. P. Bailey of Tyrola, was in Francis Monday and informed us that the new road from Francis to the Tyrola country will be opened up and put in shape for travel as soon as the bridge on Facter Creek is built. As the material for this bridge has been shipped, we may expect to have a road opening to the northwest within a short time.—Francis Wigwam.

E. R. Solomon made a trip to Roff today.

Mrs. Josie Buster is visiting in Madill.

Miss Myrtle Martin is in Francis on a visit.

Mrs. Minnie Culver is visiting in Morris, Okla.

W. B. Mallette went to Tishomingo this morning.

Mrs. Monk of Tishomingo, is visiting her sister, Miss L. Conner.

Charles Watkins of Oklahoma City was calling on the drug trade today.

Jack Tell and family who lived south of town have moved to Kentucky.

Struck Gas in Well.

While drilling for water last Friday on one of Gov. Brown's place near Sasakwa farmed by L. R. Harland, a strong flow of gas was struck at a depth of 135 feet. When the drill was taken out of the well there was a rush of gas and, upon applying a match, a flame of 20 feet long was produced. After some difficulty the well was capped. A gas well man from Wetumka came over and, after examination, estimates the well to have a flow of 2000 feet per day.—Francis Wigwam.

Sunday At The Churches.

First Presbyterian Church.

All services including Sunday school will be held in the building on Broadway. The choir has prepared special music for this first service. The sermon subject at the morning hour will be, "A Clinic in the Enlargement of Christian Consciousness," and at 7:30 p. m. it will be, "Dangerous Delays." There will be a congregational meeting at the evening hour to take whatever steps may be necessary to incorporate the church but this will take only a few minutes and will not interfere with the regular service. All members expected to be present and the presence of friends and strangers appreciated. Session will meet immediately after the Sunday school.

Christian Church.

"A Fish for Every Jonah" will be the subject at the Christian church at the 11 a. m. hour. Sunday school 9:45. Our school is graded, thus enabling the scholar to receive the best instruction. Brotherhood class at same hour. Lively discussions and good fellowship. The evening subject will be "The Finding of a Lost Book and What It Meant."

Strangers and visitors to our city especially welcome at this church. Just once a stranger.

Christian Endeavor.

At the Christian church the Junior C. E. will meet at 3 p. m. Miss Mayme Mathews will be in charge at 6:45. The Senior C. E. subject will be "Do Your Amusements Help to Build Up or Tear Down?" Mr. Russell, leader.

Notice to Episcopallians.

The members and all those interested in the Episcopal church are invited to attend a business meeting to be held in the Cumberland Presbyterian church at 7 o'clock Sunday evening, October 16th, one hour before the regular evening service.

PASTIME

PHOTOPLAY THEATER
We Bring the World to Your Door
To-Night's Photoplays

See that great Selig production, one of the biggest undertakings ever accomplished. Mazeppa bound to the wild horse of Tortory and left to seemingly sure direful death, the maddened horse bounds over hills, and through valleys, across waters and through forests at last exhausted is captured and Mazeppa's life spared. One of those startling, thrilling pictures you will carry in your mind's eye. With it see the Ruling Passion, a western life subject of unusual interest.

Come early and get a good seat, but if you can't come early come any time, only don't miss this great program.

WILL VOTE ON SIX QUESTIONS

Oklahoma City, Oct. 14.—Secretary of the state election board, Seth K. Cordon, Saturday will start mailing pamphlets containing the complete draft of all state questions to be submitted at the general election of Nov. 8, and such arguments that were submitted as provided by law. There are six questions submitted: State questions No. 1 and No. 2 proposed by the legislature will appear on the state ballot in the order named.

State question No. 1 is a measure to amend the constitution so as to authorize the legislature to provide that all taxes collected for the maintenance of common schools, upon property of railroads, private lines, telegraph and telephone companies and other public service corporations operating in more than one county in the state, shall be paid into the common school funds.

State question No. 2 is a measure to amend the constitution of Oklahoma by adopting in lieu of Section 9, Article 9, a new section authorizing railroad companies and other transportation companies to organize under our laws to consolidate with like companies organized under the laws of other states; it also provides that such companies shall not become foreign corporations and the state shall retain full jurisdiction.

On a separate ballot there will be voted upon state question No. 6, initiative petition No. 2; state question No. 8, initiative petition No. 3; state question No. 3, initiative petition No. 11; state question No. 4, referendum petition No. 12; these four questions will appear on the ballot in the order as follows:

State question No. 6 is known as the "New Jerusalem Capital Location Plan." It provides: That not less than six sections of land within fifty miles of the geographical center of the state shall be planned for a capital city and other purposes. It is the Campbell Russell capital scheme and is well understood by the electors of the state.

State question No. 8, is the woman suffrage measure and provides that the female citizens of the state shall have the same right of suffrage as the male citizens.

State question No. 3. This measure is to amend Section No. 7, Article No. 1 of the constitution and provides for the license sale of intoxicating liquors in incorporated cities, towns and villages, and is popularly known as the "Local Option Amendment."

House Bill No. 125, commonly known as the Bryan election law, and which is a general election law and provides for the repealing of all existing laws relating to general elections. This provides also for ribbon ballots and general registrations, that is, that the precinct method of registration in cities of the first-class shall extend to all rural precincts, etc.

The pamphlets will be shipped to the secretaries of the county election boards with instructions as provided by law, who shall in like manner immediately distribute them to the election inspectors for the election precincts of his county, and said inspectors shall, within five days, hold or cause to be held a public meeting of the electors of his district and distribute such pamphlets to the assembled voters; and use all other diligent means of distributing them to all the voters of such election precincts.

Big Crop in Carter County.

Ardmore, Ok., Oct. 14.—Not in the last ten years has Carter County produced so much cotton as is being gathered this year. Farmers are up by 4 o'clock in the morning, remain in the fields until dark and often haul their cotton to gin and have it baled after dark. The gins are running until midnight in every section of the county. Perfect conditions were reported on August 17, and on Sept. 1 it was estimated that the boll worms had destroyed one-third of the crop. But a timely rain came, the worms ceased their work and the crop recovered its loss. The open fall has been favorable for gathering and the price is hugging the 15c mark. Many pickers are arriving from Southern Texas and all of them find the cotton farmers anxious to employ them.

Political speakings have practically been abandoned and the courts are having a difficult time holding farmers for jury service.

Will Spend Sunday Away.

Some of the E. C. N. Faculty are preparing to visit out of town Sunday. Miss Drake, the registrar will go to Shawnee, Mrs. Bonner will visit in Ardmore, while Miss Turner and Miss Van Wormer will spend the day in Tishomingo.

P. A. NORRIS, Pres.

H. T. DOUGLAS, Vice-Pres.

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is not always the most valuable thing a man can have. There is something better

is something that money won't always buy and yet you don't have to have money to have credit. If you want to establish your credit associate yourself with a good bank that appreciates your business. It will pay you to become identified with us.

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E. S. HARAWAY, Asst. Cash.

Ada Social Events.

The Beard Bible Class Special.

The Beard Bible Class were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barringer, last Thursday evening by an old fashioned party. There were about seventy-five present, and every game drop the handkerchief, to Wolf over the River was played. After the games they were served with an extra swell dish of punch and the surprise for old time sake was a stick of candy and a red Arkansas apple. The ladies were entertained by the men with a game of Leap Frog. The crowd was gathered up by a large drag wagon drawn by four large horses known as the Beard's Bible Class Special running on the schedule, leaving the First M. E. church at 7:15 and arriving at their destination at 8:45. J. W. Beard was known as the conductor and porter, and played his part well. Every one were greatly entertained and went away wondering when it would happen again. They have an offer to go o'possum hunting soon which they are ready to accept.

Mrs. Rodarmel Entertains.

Mrs. Claude Rodarmel was a gracious hostess Friday afternoon. Her friends had the pleasure of meeting her mother, Mrs. Larkin, of Mitchell, Ind.; Mr. Rodarmel's mother, Mrs. Frances Rodarmel, of Washington, Ind., and his sister, Mrs. Clyde Chase, of Lawrenceburg, Ind.

The rooms were tastefully decorated with pot plants, roses, carnations and chrysanthemums, the color scheme being different in each room. Mrs. Mason greeted the callers who were introduced to the hostess and her guests by Mrs. Torbett. Mesdames Hope and Beck assisted in entertaining. Mesdames Ebey and Hart presided in the punch room where punch was served by Misses Mason and Estelle Torbett. The ladies who served in the dining room were Mesdames Tobin, Beard, Neathery and Simpson. Mesdames Galbraith and Duncan had charge of the register. Eloise Mason received the cards.

Mrs. Sears Entertains Silver Thimble Club.

The Silver Thimble club met with Mrs. Rolla G. Sears Tuesday afternoon from 3:30 to 5. The first hour was devoted to social chat and fancy work. Then a story was read by Mrs. Mathews. Last and best was some delicious cream and cake served by the hostess. The club will meet with Mrs. Mathews two weeks from date.

Gollmar Bros. Circus Will Be Here.

All contracts necessary for the innumerable details connected with the exhibition of the Gollmar Bros. shows in this city have been completed and this show, which is one of America's largest amusement enterprises, will visit the city at an early date.

It is really a credit and a benefit to any community to have a show of such magnitude and character as the Gollmar Bros. Circus visit it, and its coming to this city at an early date will certainly please the lov-

ers of innocent amusements. The fact that the Gollmar Bros. Shows are in the very foremost rank of such amusements, and in a class exclusively of its own as to exceptional merit, is sure to cause an unusually liberal patronage upon its visit here.

Gollmar Bros. Circus is one of the biggest; it is a ten-acre department store, whose wares consist of amusements. People who patronize the big department stores are not expected to want something in every department, neither is it expected that a spectator at the Gollmar Circus will be able to see every act; but it is expected that he will not have any trouble to find what he likes to see. The management has so arranged its program that acts suitable to the great variety of tastes are always in view throughout the entire performance, which lasts two hours.

The Gollmar Bros. Shows will give two performances under its immense waterproof tents in Ada, Wednesday, Oct. 19.

Team Runs Away.

Howard White, son of A. W. White left his father's team standing hitched to a wagon on 12th street in front of Conner's shop this morning for a minute, but before the lad could step from the wagon to the shop and back the horses had turned around and were going at full speed down the street.

They ran down 12th, turned north on Stockton, ran across the bridge north of the Fairisco railway, swerved sharply and put the wagon in a ditch, and stopped. No damage done except to the wagon, and some parts of it were reduced to kindling.

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Politics in Pompeii

A study of the walls and billboards that took the place of newspapers in Pompeii, over 1,800 years ago, shows that not only was the ward politics of the city astonishingly like that of modern elections, with ward meetings, primaries and appeals for candidates, but that the Pompeians were actually in the midst of a hot political campaign when in A. D. 79 the city was destroyed by the eruption of Vesuvius.

The Pompeians "whooped" it up for their candidates in the true modern style. Thus the Late Topers, a club which had its headquarters opposite the Forum, announced its preferences on a billboard as follows: "The Late Topers beg their friends to vote for Marcus Lavinus Vatia for Aedile."

Vatia, who was a favorite in sporting circles, evidently had some money to spend in the legitimate expenses of his campaign for all his notices and announcements were well got up. His rival, Popidius, either did not look after his campaign, or else had no money to employ a competent billboard artist, for his notices are misspelled and in all respects inferior to Vatia's.

There was a tavern in the first ward where a primary was probably held. At any rate, a large crowd had assembled, and the landlord very obligingly provided seats. For this he was rewarded by an inscription on the wall. The notice, freely translated reads:

"O, landlord, you did well to get us those chairs!"

Unluckily, investigators have been unable to find any record of how this election turned out. Probably the frightful 23d and 24th of August came before election day arrived.—Harper's Weekly.

J. R. Bevel was in from Tyrola today with some cotton and while here added his name to our subscription list. Mr. Bevel states that bottom land cotton is turning out about half a bale to the acre, a much better yield than was at first expected.

Church Directory

"EVERY BOY AND GIRL IN SUNDAY SCHOOL AND EVERYBODY AT CHURCH."

Asbury Methodist Church.
Services every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:15.
Sunday school at 9:45. T. W. Robinson, superintendent.
Junior League at 2 p. m. with Mrs. C. W. Shepard.
Intermediate League at 3 o'clock.

Ada, 19 Oct.

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GREATEST OF AMERICAN SHOWS



CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE

A COLOSSAL CARNIVORIAN INSTITUTION

Every Act A Feature
Thousands of Dollars Invested
PERFORMANCES DAILY
AT 2 and 8 P. M.
Doors Open One Hour Earlier
Street Parade of Living Lovers
Wonders at 10 A. M.
Be Sure And See The Turnout

FARMER'S WIFE HAD HEAP TO DO

Mrs. Shepherd Was in Bad Shape When She Could Not Stand on Her Feet.

Durham, N. C.—"I am a farmer's wife," writes Mrs. J. M. Shepherd, of this city, "and have a heap to do."

"Four months ago I could not stand on my feet, to do anything much, but at this time I do the most of my work. I took Cardui and it did me more good than all the doctors."

"You don't know half how I thank you for the Cardui Home Treatment. I wish that all women who suffer from womanly trouble would treat themselves as I have. Ladies can easily treat themselves at home, with Cardui, the woman's tonic. It is easy to take, and so gentle in its action, that it cannot do anything but good."

Being composed exclusively of vegetable ingredients, Cardui cannot lay up trouble in your system, as mineral drugs often do. Its ingredients having no harsh, medicinal effects, and being non-poisonous and perfectly harmless, Cardui is absolutely safe for young and old.

Ask your druggist. He will tell you to try Cardui.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Woman's Home Mission is and is Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

MARSHALL DUPREE, Pastor.
Presbyterian Church.
Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8:00. J. D. White, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45. Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

First Baptist Church.
Sunday school 9:45. W. C. Duncan, superintendent. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. J. R. Union, 4 p. m. S. R. Union 7 p. m. Ladies Aid and Mission Society Monday, 4 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.

C. STUBBLEFIELD, Pastor.
Christian Church.
Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8:00. Leroy Anderson, pastor.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. L. T. Walters, superintendent.
Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. 2nd Thursday in each month. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.

The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 3 p. m.

First Methodist Church.
Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00. Intermediate and League meet Sunday afternoon. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 p. m., except on at 3 o'clock. Bible study Friday night at 7:30.

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Capudine is liquid—easy and pleasant to take—acts immediately. 10c., 25c. and 50c. at drug stores.

THE ERA OF THE AERO

By WILL BRADSHAW

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Good morning! Have you ordered your aeroplane yet? Are you aware of the fact that Wilbur and Orville (note the familiarity) are among us again? Do you know that just as soon as possible after they have rested up from their European sojourn we will be permitted to stand in line and file orders for future deliveries in 1909 models of aerial conveyances?

Wilbur Wright and his brother Orville are great young men, no mistake. Our country can well be proud of them. They have taken an idea, probably as old as the human race, developed it to a certain point, and by careful manipulation, elevated themselves until king and peasant look up with unstinted admiration.

It was a lucky day for the Wright boys the day they hit upon this method of rising in the esteem of their fellow men. They have risen higher than anyone ever expected; and if at any time they should drop suddenly it would be very sad and unexpected.

But they had better be very careful! The game of rising up into the clear blue sky is beset with difficulties of the most perilous order; difficulties that are likely to upset the best laid plans of these brave Ohio youths.

It was only the other day, while reading some ancient literature on the subject the Wrights and thousands of others are most interested in at this time, I happened upon an account of the first recorded attempt to navigate in true bird fashion that great void above us.

The old document told graphically of the longing of a pious friar to rise in the world and soar above his fellows. It told of the long years he spent in nerve-racking research for an apparatus that could be attached to his person and with which he could attain the heights his ambition led him to. It told how the credulous populace gathered on the morning of the trial to see the good man make his getaway from the top of the town-hall. The rest of the account dwelt on the virtues of the deceased and the plans for a great public funeral to be held the next day.

This occurred in the year 845 A. D. We can, and have done, as much as this in our time.

How another attempt was made to solve the problem some time later is related in another part of the volume. It tells of an ingenious farmer who lived on the outskirts of Nice. His land being situated in a very swampy section, and having a wife who was fond of travel, he longed for some means whereby he could secure pleasure for himself and a change of atmosphere for the rest of the family. While watching the family canary flit about in its cage, one day he suddenly turned pale and left for the wood shed at the rear of the house.

In spite of the neighbors' gossip about moonshining and counterfeiting, and other nefarious schemes, he hid from view for a period and when he emerged, placed before the astonished villagers a huge object that to all appearances was a cross between a grasshopper and a canary in wood and iron. The family were to leave for a spin before breakfast the following morning from the top of the barn. The page at this point was very much thumbed, but I finally made out that the farmer's brother came up from Bordeaux and claimed the estate.

Since that eventful morning when the friar made his last bow to the assembled multitudes, though the centuries, and up to the present day, the population of the globe has been materially lessened by the airship fans. This may appear as very discouraging to the party contemplating a touring aeroplane that will seat five, or a simple little affair built for one and with accommodations for another; but it is not the intention of the writer to knowingly discourage or hurt the feelings of any one. The man who succeeds in constructing a pair of flippers that will lift him off the earth and keep him off as long as he wishes to remain is deserving of all the honor it is in our power to bestow.

Have you ever given a thought to all the misery the successful invention of the airship will bring? Ever thought how many lives will come to an abrupt end when the carburetor refrains from giving the right mixture, or the port flipper rips at a seam, or a weary aviator pulls the cord that calls for a "back somersault and reverse?"

Think of all the trivial accidents that will happen with the advent of the aero. Think of the safety of the walking population when airships are as numerous as the bunches of mosquitoes we see hovering over a certain spot and playing what is, seemingly, the game of "tag." And then, taking the side of the aeroplanist, what fate is in store for the unlucky voyager who falls overboard and lands on the apex of a church steeple?

No! It is hard to say what benefit we will derive from the successful airship; but in the meantime, before placing your order, sneak into some quiet corner and figure out about how much your sudden taking away would mean to the community.

Fido's Tail a Mystery.
Little Willie was tugging at Fido's tail.

"What are you trying to do with the dog?" asked the child's father.
"I fink his tail is coming off."
"Oh, no, Willie. That's impossible. What makes you think so?"
"Cause Fido's tail is so loose that it wiggles."

Her Friends The Enemy

Dot read about it in a book. There was a story of a little girl who had enemies and she made the enemies her friends by doing kind things for them. It was a beautiful book with red covers and it was entitled "Coals of Fire," though Dot wondered what other kinds of coals there were.

The story in the book appealed to Dot particularly because she had enemies herself and it struck her that applying kindness to them was a very simple cure, within the reach of any one.

Her enemies were ten little girls who lived on the next street and passed her house in a troop every day on their way to school. Generally they contented themselves with making faces at her, but sometimes they stopped to talk, which was worse. They asked her name, but when she ventured to ask theirs they answered, "Puddin' n' tame, if you ask me again I'll tell you the same," which was beyond her understanding and quite appalling.

Once they told her that there was a hole in her stocking and when she searched in mortified haste for it they informed her she was "stung," for the hole was at the top where she put her foot in. Another time they said her mother ought to let her have a reception in order to allow her stockings and her skirt to meet. This remark, Dot knew, showed they did not admire her half-hose. Her independent declaration next morning that she must have real stockings surprised her mother a good deal.

The leader of the ten girls wore a blue dress, a red hat and a white apron, a flaglike combination that was very pleasing to Dot, so she was more than anxious to make friends with that brilliant personage. This was the girl who made the witty remarks which were received with cheers by her following and with embarrassment by her victim.

Now that revenge was within Dot's grasp she felt a keen joy at the thought of humiliating her adversaries with liberal applications of kindness. The only question was the means she should employ. Many and marvelous were the plans she harbored, the dreams she dreamed respecting the crushing of the formidable ten. Then, of a sudden, her birthday loomed in sight and her mother announced that she might have a party.

Dot asked for the privilege of making out the list of guests, but her mother felt it best to see to that herself. Thus Dot was able to secure only a few envelopes and sheets of paper for her own use, and these were obtained in secret.

She wrote five invitations with her new yellow pencil and then awaited the coming of the enemy on their way home from school. To the flag girl and her four dearest cronies went the invitations Dot had written. To the others she delivered oral, but none the less cordial, requests that they attend her birthday party the following afternoon. Some of the girls giggled, but most of them were silent. This silence might have meant anything, but Dot preferred to consider it an indication of shame and remorse. They had been so mean and she was so kind!

The afternoon of the party was all that heart could wish. Dot, however, did not feel content. The small guests invited by her mother on entering reported a mob at the entrance that commented freely upon their costumes and asked questions not usually rated as polite. Upon one little girl's arriving in tears, Dot's mother dispatched the maid to the front walk and there seemed to be a commotion there immediately afterward. As Dot refrained from looking out of the window, she was not sure who was responsible for the chorus of yells and whoops that accompanied the scattering of the mob, but in her heart she thought she knew.

Not one of the ten little girls she had invited put in an appearance at the party, though Dot looked for them all, one anxious eye regarding the generous plates of ice cream with fear lest the missing ones should not get any if they came in later.

The party was a joyous success, however, and Dot forgot for a happy hour her friends the enemy. These were brought to her remembrance again as the guests departed. Derisive hoots from across the street greeted their departure. Dot then heard her mother speaking about something.

"I don't know where those little ruffians heard about the party," said Dot's mother. "They have given us such a lot of trouble! One of them stole a loaf of angel food and they have left all sorts of trash on our back porch labeled birthday gifts for Dot. Two of them dug up the lilac bush and another broke the cellar window. It has been dreadful."

Dot stole softly upstairs and then came down a moment later, clasping a book with a violent red cover and a gold title, "Coals of Fire." On the landing she met her small brother.

"Here, Tommy," she said, thrusting the book at him. "You can have this. There's not a word of truth in it. The pictures are lovely and you'll like 'em, but it's lucky you can't read, 'cause the story's an awful whopper."

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